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Attorncy Docket No. 125.003USR1

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In rc Application of.

James Leroy Snell

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Serial No.: Filed:

10/005,483

For:

November 9, 2001 HIGH DATA RATE SPREAD

SPECTRUM TRANSCEIVER AND

ASSOCIATED METHODS

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# RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b) TO FILE APPLICATION WITHOUT INVENTOR'S SIGNATURE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(b), petitioner Intersil Americas Inc. ("Intersil"), respectfully seeks permission to file the above-identified reissue application without the signature of one of the inventors, James Leroy Snell. James Leroy Snell has refused to execute the reissue application. The last known address for James Leroy Snell is as follows:

James Leroy Snell

Residence/Post Office Address:

2695 Lemon Street NE

Palm Bay, FL 32905

Citizenship:

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Snell is the inventor named on U.S. Patent No. 5,982,807, issued November 9, 1999 for "High Data Rate Spread Spectrum Transceiver and Associated Methods" (the "807 patent").

As set forth in the Declaration of Elizabeth A. Bauer, submitted herewith, bona fide attempts and diligent efforts have been made to present the reissue application and corresponding inventor's declaration to James Leroy Snell for signature in accordance with MPEP 409.03(b) and 37 C.F.R. §1.47(b). As indicated in paragraphs 2 and 3 of the Declaration of David N. Fogg,

# RENEWED PETITION 1.47(. O FILE REISSUE APPLICATION WITH, I INVENTOR SIGNATURE

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Serial No. 10/005,483 Filed: November 9, 2002

Title: HIGH DATA RATE SPREAD SPECTRUM TRANSCEIVER AND ASSOCIATED METHODS

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James Leroy Snell has refused to execute the reissue application and corresponding inventor's declaration.

The declaration of Paul A. Bernkopf, submitted with the prior Petition on June 28, 2002 (copy enclosed), shows that the petitioner Intersil, is the assignee of the '807 patent. Intersil filed a reissue application on the '807 patent without the inventor's signature on November 9, 2001, scrial number 10/005,483, to broaden the scope of the claims of the '807 patent. Respectfully, Intersil has sufficient proprietary right to act as agent for the inventor in this application.

Filing of this reissue application is necessary to preserve the rights of the parties hereto. Irreparable harm will result to Intersil if the petition is not granted as shown by the Declaration of Paul A. Bernkopf.

Applicant previously submitted a Reissue Application: Consent of Assignee: Statement of Non-Assignment and Statement under 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b) (copies enclosed) on June 28, 2002.

It is Applicant's understanding that there are no additional fees for this RENEWED Petition. However, if any additional fees or credits are deemed necessary, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 502432

Based on the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the petitioner has demonstrated sufficient proprietary interest to make the reissue application on behalf of and as agent for the inventor James Leroy Snell who has refused to sign the inventor declaration. Petitioner respectfully requests that the petition Under 37 CFR §1.47(b) be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 27, 2007

David N. Fogg

Rcg. No. 35,138

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#### Declaration Of Paul A. Bernkopf

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L Paul A. Bernkopf, hereby declare:

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- I am Chief Intellectual Property Counsel and Corporate Vice President of Intersil Americas
  Inc., formerly known as Intersil Corporation and Intersil Communications Inc. ("Intersil").
  Intersil is a successor in interest to Harris Corporation and assignee of Harris Corporation's
  interest in certain intellectual property, including U.S. Patent No. 5,982,807, issued to James
  Leroy Snell, inventor, on November 9, 1999 for "High Data Rate Spread Spectrum
  Transceiver And Associated Methods" (the "807 patent"), as shown by assignment dated
  August 11, 1997, and recorded on September 19, 1997, at Reel: 8728, Frame: 0769, in the
  United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- James Leroy Snell is a former employee of Harris Corporation and Intersil. He was involved
  in research and development of Harris Corporation and Intersil products. Snell is sole
  inventor of the "807 patent." On information and belief, he is retired.
- 3. James Leroy Snell agreed in writing to assign all of his right, title and interest in and to the invention of the '807 patent to Harris Corporation, Interest's predecessor in interest, as shown by assignment dated August 11, 1997, and recorded on September 19, 1997, at Recl: 8728, Frame: 0769, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.
- 4. Intersil filed a reissue application on the '807 patent without the inventor's signature on November 9, 2001, RE 10/005,483, to broaden the scope of the claims of the '807 patent.
- 5. The invention of the '807 patent represents valueable intellectual property of Intersil. Intersil will be irreparably harmed if it is not able to exploit this intellectual property by filing and prosecuting the subject reissue application since the scope of the invention was not fully realized by the claims of of the '807 patent.

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Paul A. Bernkopf

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We have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified speci amended by any amendment referred to above.  We acknowledge the duty to disclose Information which is material to patental We verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invaloelow. (Check all boxes that apply.)	ability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.			
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All orrors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant. As a named inventors, we hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Tradomark Office connected therewith.

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I, David N. Fogg, state as follows:

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#### DECLARATION OF DAVID N. FOGG

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- 1. I am a member of Fogg & Associates, LLC, attorneys for Intersil Americas Inc., the assignee of the present application.
- On November 15, 2002, I spoke with Mr. Snell regarding the Reissue Declaration provided to him by Don Hamrick on November 13, 2002. Mr. Snell expressed concern with signing the Reissue Declaration and indicated that he would seek advice of counsel prior to signing anything.
- 3. In follow-up telephone calls on November 18, 2002, I spoke with Mr. Snell further regarding the Reissuc Declaration. Mr. Snell indicated that he would not sign the Reissue Declaration unless I provided a letter to him indicating, among other things, that it was not necessary for him to review claims 123-133 of the reissue application. Mr. Snell also wanted me to make certain factual statements in the letter regarding inventorship of the various claims of the reissue application.

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When I told Mr. Snell that I could not provide such a letter, Mr. Snell said he would not sign the Reissue Declaration.

4. I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued

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I, Elizabeth A. Bauer, state as follows:

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#### DECLARATION OF ELIZABETH A. BAUER

1. I am a paralegal employed by Fogg & Associates, LLC, attorneys for Intersil

Americas Inc., the assignee of the present application.

- 2. On October 28, 2002, I sent a letter together with the preliminary amendment, reissue application, supplemental preliminary amendment, second supplemental preliminary amendment and reissue application declaration in the above referenced reissue proceedings to the inventor, James Leroy Snell, via Federal Express shipment. The letter requested him to review the documents, execute the declaration and return them to me promptly. A copy of this letter is attached
- 3. On November 6, 2002, I received the Federal Express package, with contents as indicated in paragraph 2, returned to me with notations on the cover that three attempts were made to deliver this to Mr. Snell on October 29, 2002; October 30, 2002 and October 31, 2002. On November 5, 2002 they returned the package

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back to me, the sender. A copy of the Federal Express envelope is attached hereto and marked Exhibit B.

- 4. On November 5, 2002, I sent the same package, via federal express, as outlined in paragraph 2 to Deponet at 380 Riggs Avenue, Melbourne Beach, Florida for hand-delivery to Mr. James Snell. A copy of this letter is attached hereto and marked Exhibit C. A Declaration of Don Hamrick indicating this package was delivered to Mr. Snell on November 13, 2002 is attached hereto as Exhibit D.
- I declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Mr. Snell:

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This letter is a follow-up to the letter that David Fogg sent to you via Federal Express on October 23, 2002 in regard to the above-referenced reissue patent application. Attached please find the following:

- 1. Preliminary Amendment and United States Patent 5,982,807, filed November 9, 2001;
- 2. Supplemental Preliminary Amendment, filed August 29, 2002;
- Second Supplemental Preliminary Amendment, filed October 23, 2002;
   and
- 4. Reissue Application Declaration by the Inventors.

Please review these documents, sign and date the Reissue Application Declaration where indicated, fax the signed declaration to us at 612-677-3553, and return the original signed declaration to us in the enclosed Federal Express package.

If you have any questions, please contact either David Fogg or myself at 612-332-4720.

Sincerely,

Elizabeth A. Bauer

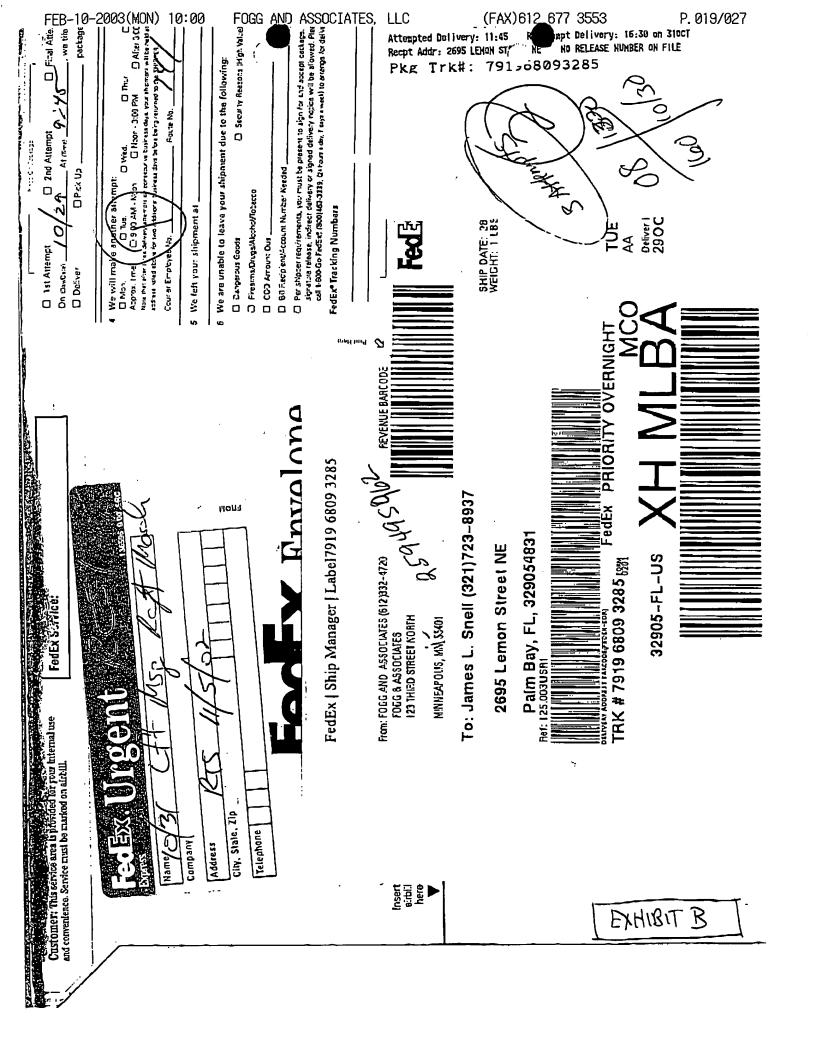
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Re:

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Dear Mike:

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Please hand-deliver the attached letter and documents to:

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James L. Snell 2695 Lemon St NE Palm Bay, FL 32905-4831

We would like this processed on a RUSH PRIORITY basis. Please prepare your standard Affidavit of Service and fax the completed Affidavit of Service to us at 612-677-3553 or 612-332-4731.

If you have any questions, please contact either David Fogg or myself at 612-332-4720.

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